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Sir:

In reviewing the above-captioned application file upon allowance, the undersigned has noted that the priority document, submitted with original applications papers on May 25, 2001, has not been acknowledged by the Patent and Trademark Office in this case.

The Patent and Trademark Office is, therefore, kindly requested to provide the undersigned with acknowledgement of the priority document in this application at your earliest convenience.

Respectfully submitted,

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